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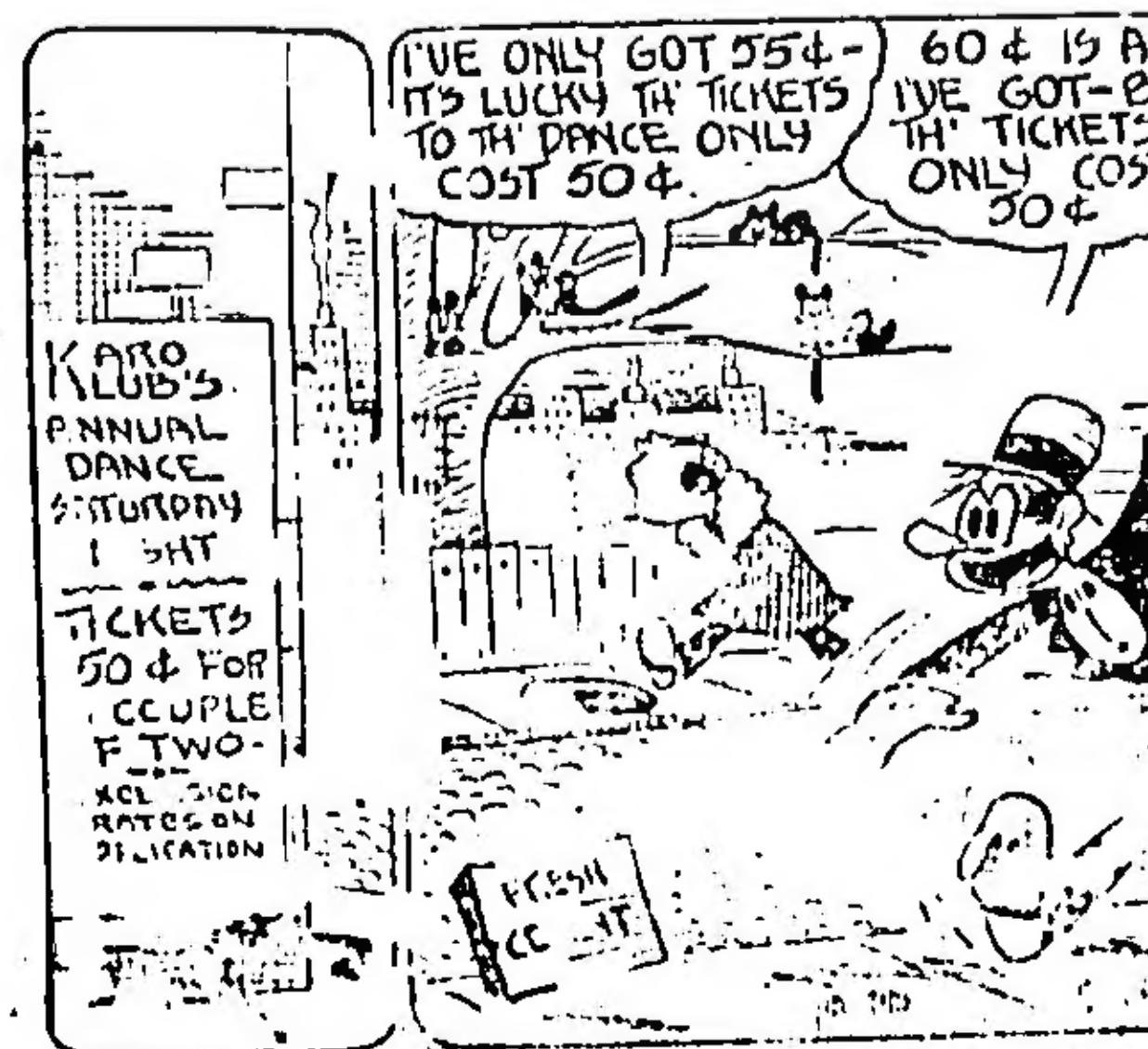
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THE POISONS CASE.

ALLEGED PATIENTS GIVE EVIDENCE.

The hearing was continued before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday of the case in which Karen Bux, of No. 34 Haiphong Road, is charged with unlawfully having in his possession a quantity of poisons without a licence from the Captain Superintendent of Police and with practising as a doctor without being registered.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith prosecuted for the Crown and Mr. Elsley Zeitlyn instructed for Messrs. Deacons appeared for the defence. A number of Indians were called by the prosecution and they stated that at various times they visited the defendant for medical treatment. They were given medicine and were charged for this, as well as \$5 fees.

One of the witnesses under cross examination by Mr. Zeitlyn said that he went to the defendant's premises after his arrest.

Mr. Zeitlyn: Was that in consequence of an offer made by Abbas Khan? Witness: No.

Did you not tell the defendant that Abbas Khan had offered you \$200 to give evidence?—No.

Witness also denied that he told the defendant that he would give evidence against him if defendant did not pay him more than \$200. He merely went to the defendant about the medicine and the latter replied that he was in trouble with the police and that he had no more medicine.

Mr. Zeitlyn: He did not offer you \$200 to give evidence?—No. He did not say anything about the case.

Mr. Zeitlyn also asked one of the witnesses if he was not given some medicine which he was to pay from the defendant, but the witness denied it.

After further evidence the case was adjourned till this afternoon.

FALSE PRETENCES.

A TRICK PLAYED TOO OFTEN.

At the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon, Mr. S. B. B. McElderry sentenced a Chinese to six months' hard labour for obtaining \$440 worth of mushrooms by means of false business chops.

It was stated that defendant first presented a letter at the grocery shop, purporting to have been sent by the Kwongtung Hotel of Macao as a requisition for a quantity of mushrooms. Without

doubting the defendant's bona fides the accountant supplied the goods, which he handed to the defendant with a bill against the Hotel. Several days later the defendant played the same trick on the unvary shop-keeper and with success. Emboldened, he practised it a third time, but was trapped, being arrested on the prima after he had received the goods.

WEDDING.

HARCOURT-SAUL.

At St. John's Cathedral yesterday morning, the wedding was solemnised by Capt. Alexander Vernon Harcourt, of Shanghai, and Miss Ilma Saul, who arrived in the Colony a few hours earlier from Australia. The bride is the daughter of Mr. Saul and the late Mrs. Saul, of Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada. The bridegroom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Harcourt, of Hobart, Tasmania.

Only a few friends attended the ceremony, which was conducted by the Rev. T. B. Powell. The bride was given away by Mr. L. Rose and Capt. Winkler attended the bridegroom as best man.

Capt. and Mrs. Harcourt will shortly leave for Shanghai.

MARINE COURT.

LAUNCHES WITHOUT ENGINEERS ON BOARD.

At the Marine Court yesterday morning, before Lieut. Commdr. G. F. Hole, the master of the steam launch Lee Lee, was charged with being under way in Victoria Harbour on March 12, without a certified engineer on-board, Defendant pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 with the alternative of 10 days' imprisonment.

For a similar offence, committed on March 15, the master of the steam launch Kwong Ho, was mulcted in a like sum with the same alternative.

Rule of The Road.

The master of the steam launch Indo was charged with failing to observe the rule of the road on March 21 and pleaded guilty. Captain Skinner of Messrs. Jardines spoke on behalf of the defendant and stated that the offence—taking the wrong side of the fairway—was not always avoidable and the coxswain of the launch had served the Company for many years with an excellent record.

His Worship, in passing sentence of a \$10 fine with the alternative of 10 days' imprisonment, said he could not overlook such offences. He had himself observed several cases of a like nature, which constituted a grave danger to the fairway traffic and he felt compelled to punish the offenders whenever they were brought up on such a charge.

RUM-RUNNING TRADE.

HONGKONG SAID TO BE INTERESTED.

Vancouver, B. C.—Hongkong is becoming a keen competitor of British Columbia in the rum-running traffic. One cargo of 38,000 cases sent out as a trial shipment has been absorbed, and another is in transit.

Rum-runners here are said to be behind the Hongkong organization, having invested on the ground that the trade is becoming risky in Canada, owing to the operation given by the Government to United States authorities.

The fact that the United States is keeping a watch on liquor going through the Panama canal has driven the selling interests to seek another route to California.

Arrangements were made here to send fuel to the ship when she arrives off the coast. Other rum-runners not in the new syndicate see visions of their fleets becoming coal and oil carriers for their competitors.

CARGO JUNK CASUALTY.

WATERLOGGED CRAFT SINKS OFF WANCHAI.

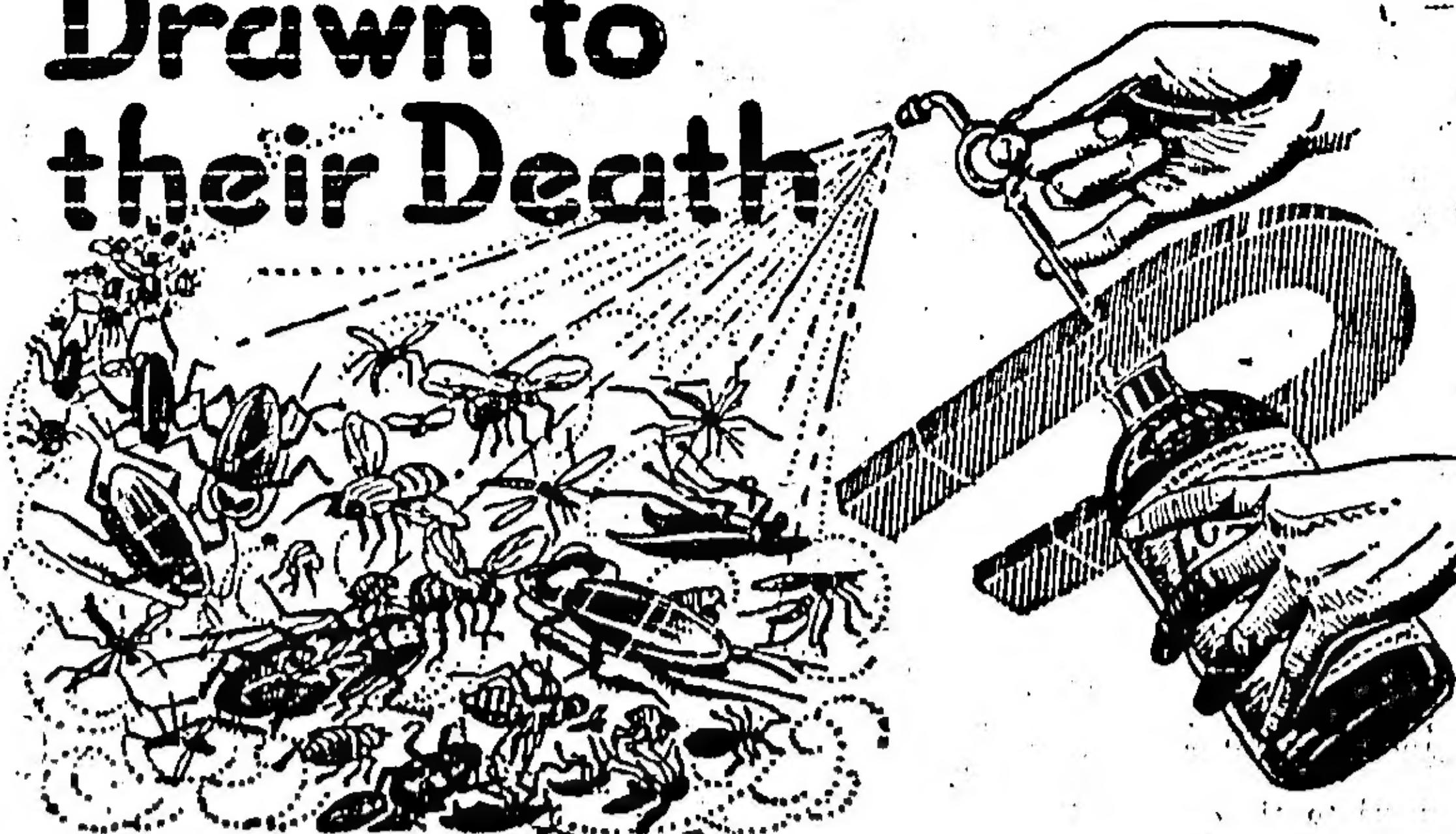
The master of the cargo junk No. T2092H, with a capacity of 487 piculs, has made a report to the Harbour Office concerning the sinking of his boat in the harbour, on the afternoon of March 25.

He states that his junk, with a crew of five men, was on the way from Aberdeen to Kowloon City with a cargo of tiles, and when off Causeway Bay Typhoon Shelter, the craft, becoming waterlogged, sank at 12.30 p.m. No lives were lost.

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DERELICT JUNKS AND BAD WEATHER.

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The s.s. Wing Hong (Captain R. A. Young), arriving from Hongkong states that on March 13,

a derelict junk was passed in Latitude 20.06 N, Longitude 111.04 E, and a second in Latitude 20.09 N, Longitude 110.05 E, on March 14. The s.s. Glengorm (Captain Gilbert) from Singapore reports one case of measles in route, which was isolated.

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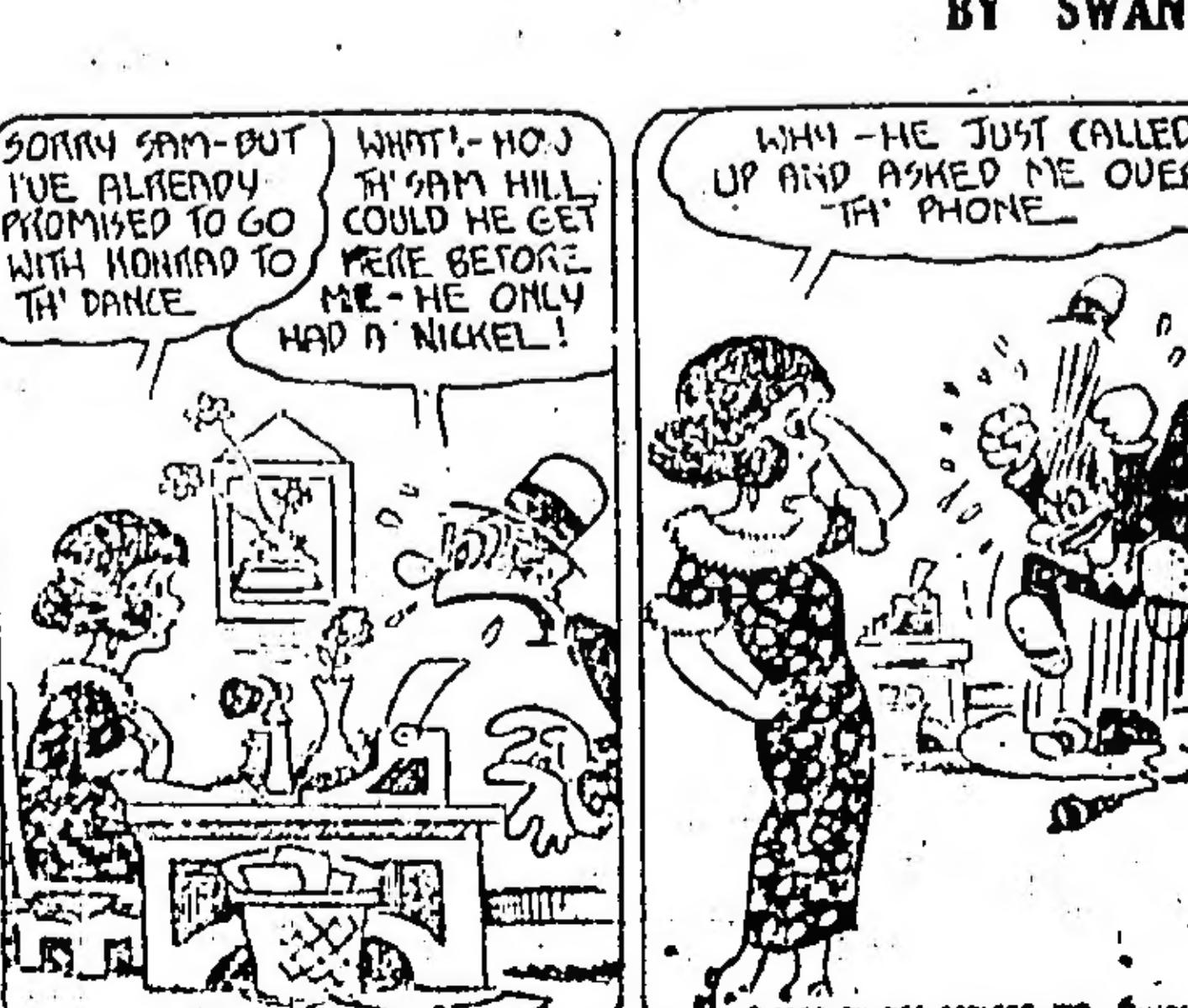
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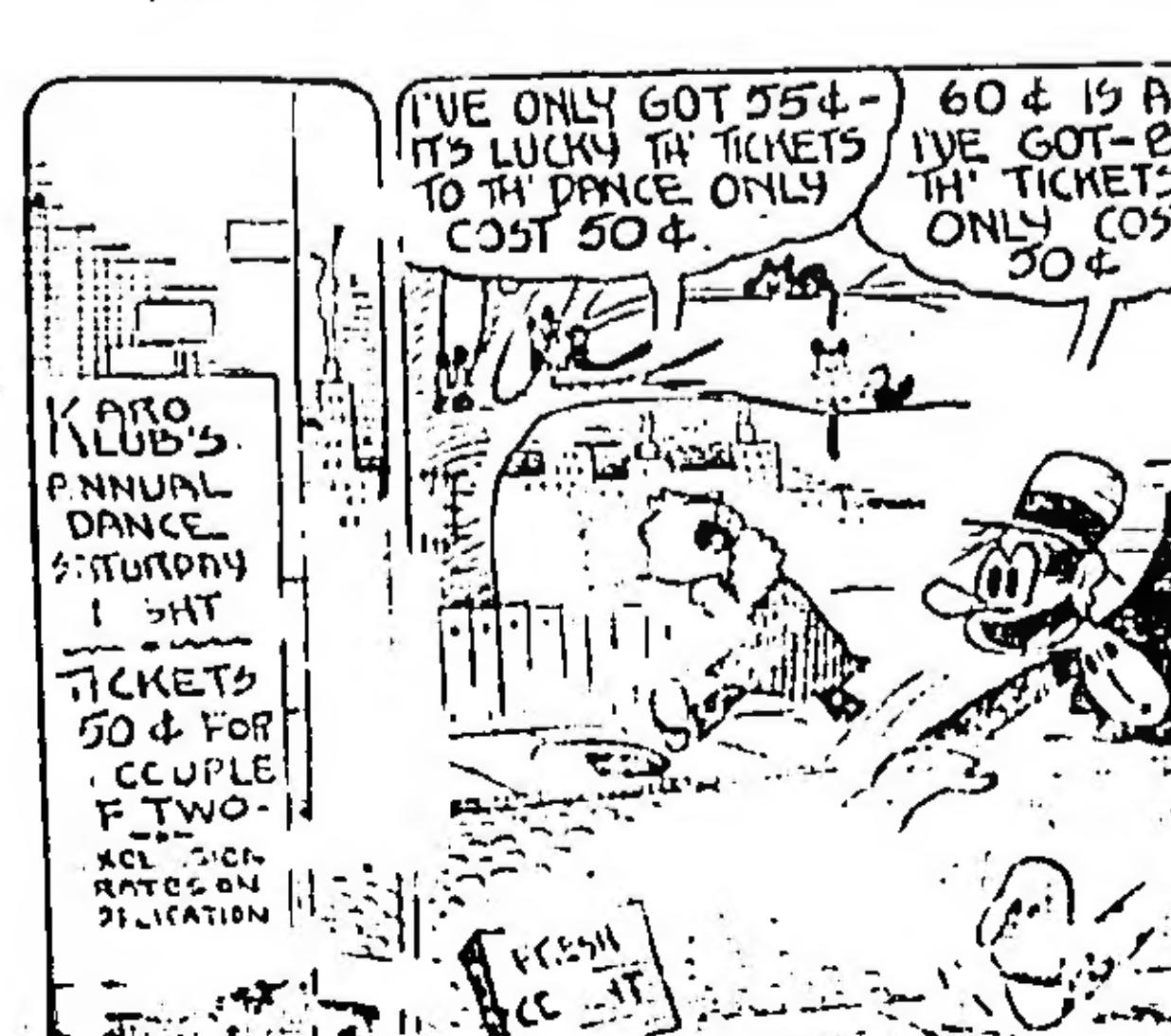
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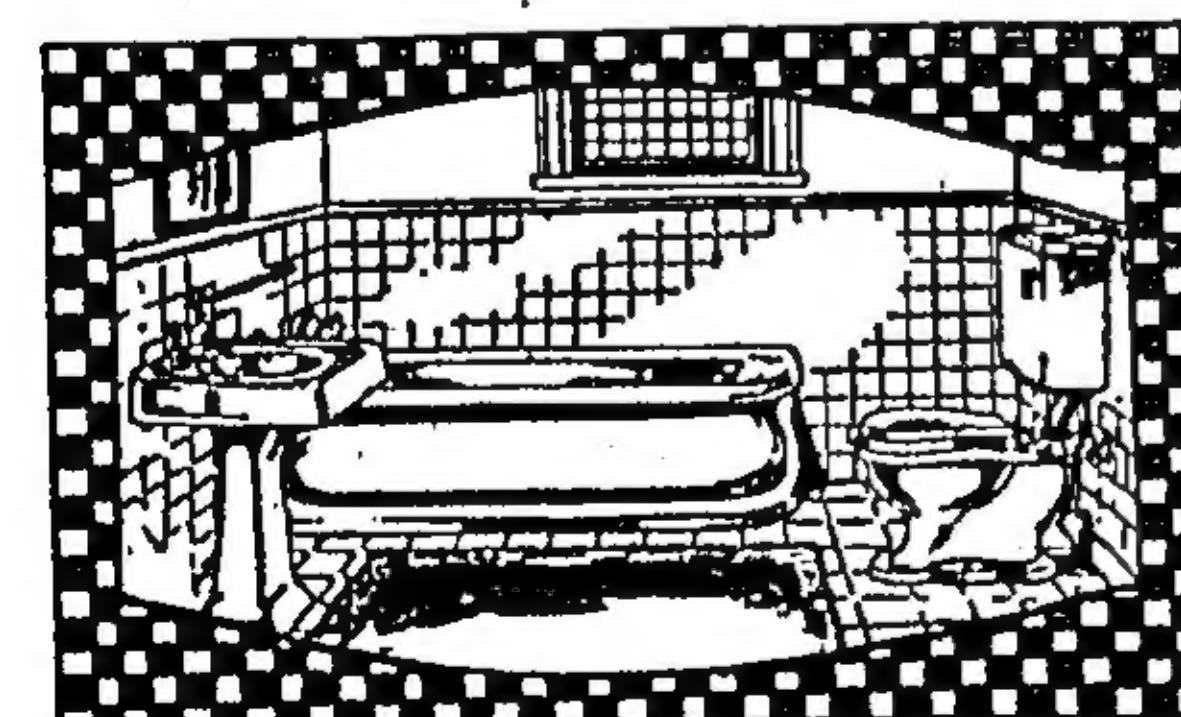
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**THE PSYCHOLOGY
OF WAR.**

**THE REAL OBJECT OF
THE LEAGUE.**

Yesterday at the University Prof. Smith delivered another of his series of lectures on psychology relating to industry. He spoke on the psychology of war and had many things of great interest to say thereon.

After every war, he remarked, people looked round to devise some means of preventing its recurrence, but they always failed. In modern war it was not always the survival of the strongest that ruled. The bullet and the shell killed indiscriminately and it was often the bravest who died first. One point from which the psychologist approached war was that every people tended to over-populate their country and the instinct of nature for the survival of the strongest worked through individual psychology and about once in 100 years there came a general killing off. That instinct was always obeyed.

War and Civilization.

Greater energy was displayed in proving after a war that the other side was in the wrong than was displayed in the actual winning of the war. Why were people anxious to do this? Because the deeds of war were impressed on civilised people as being morally wrong, and it became necessary the blame should be put on the other side. The moral sense of the individual repudiated war as being wrong, but once that moral sense was satisfied by belief that the other people started it or were in the wrong, they prosecuted war with the same degree of mercilessness. In the last war the Allies did wage it with a good deal more mercy and restraint than did the Germans. The result was that the feeling of hate the Allies denied during the war has existed through three years of peace which was not a peace.

A Desire to Stay.

In war, for the time being, man became possessed of a desire to stay, but then in the course of time the blood lust was satisfied. That was why the desire for blood was never satisfied in the civilian at home. At Christmas 1914 the troops on both sides had had enough fighting. A Christmas truce was declared, but when it was over the leaders on both sides had the utmost difficulty in getting the men to start fighting again. That truce was never tried again.

All people in war were sure that they were right, that the other side started it and they felt an anger which was only satisfied in reducing the other side to impotence.

Ends and Means.

One often heard it said 'the end justified the means'. What was really meant was that the means were wanted and an end was invented to justify them. Here the lecturer instanced the religious fanatic who, in his endeavours to remove heresy and heretics, found his greatest delight in torture. President Wilson made research into the causes of war and invented a panacea for it, the League of Nations. He did not believe in the League of Nations, but he saw that such an organisation was bound to bring up a declaration of war at least for eight hours, and a hope that in that time war might be avoided.

John Drinkwater had said in one of his plays that war was the result of anger in people when confronted with problems they could not understand. That was true; the problem they could not understand was the problem of their own natures.

East and West.

It was a feeling of patriotism which kept men fighting. What was patriotism? The French called their country *La Patrie*. *Patrie* of course, was Father and *La* was feminine. Patriotism was that feeling we had towards our country and that was why we spoke of it as the Mother or Fatherland. The French combined the two in one phrase. We never became completely independent of parental influence.

Dealing with the differing psychology of East and West the lecturer said the West looked with horror on the fact that in the East people had no regard for the fate of those outside their own family, and the East looked with amazement on the West as in a time of war it set about making widows and orphans on a colossal scale. This latter was because the social laws in the West were high and when the real solves of the Westerners broke out it did so in a way most awful and terrible.

FAR EASTERN GAMES.

**PREPARATIONS IN THE
PHILIPPINES.**

Manila, March 22.—Actual construction work to prepare Wallace Field for the 1925 Far Eastern Olympics, to be held in Manila from May 10 to May 23, inclusive, at a cost estimated at more than P.12,000, already is well under way.

The task of putting the 410-metre oval track into shape is the first portion of the big job undertaken by officials of the P.A.A.F. The present track is being given a thorough scraping and is being rolled in order to give a smooth, even basis for the new top coating of cinders, the fencing around the infield is being repaired and painted and particular attention is being given to the drainage problem in an effort to assure a dry track at all times, regardless of the state of the weather.

Following the complete overhauling of the track, on which measurements will be carefully checked, the P.A.A.F. authorities will turn their attention to a really serious problem, the construction of an entirely new 200 metres straightaway track for the dashes up that distance. Difficulty in this connection is anticipated owing to the limited area of the grounds and it is feared that it may not be possible to install the straightaway, which is practically demanded in the regulations governing the big games. In the event that it is not found reasonable, the Olympic officials of China, Japan, India and the Netherlands East Indies, all of which are to compete, will be notified that races over this distance will have to be run on the oval course.

Manila contractors already are preparing estimates on the job of building the stands to accommodate the huge crowds expected to attend the Orient's greatest sporting classic, this being by far the most expensive part of the construction programme.

Plans of the P.A.A.F. call for the erection of stands around the entire field on which the track and field events are to be staged, sufficient to accommodate 5,000 people. The Olympic football matches also will be staged on Wallace Field, and stands to hold a crowd of 2,000 will be put up around the gridiron, while the tennis courts will be flanked by tiers of benches seating another 1,000 spectators, making it possible comfortably to care for a total of at least 8,000.

Progress of the work to date has assured that it will be possible to commence the training of the track and field athletes on the track by March 25, the date on which the representatives of the Philippines in the big games are to gather in Manila and start their intensive course of conditioning.

BILLIARDS.

**THE COLONY'S
CHAMPIONSHIP.**

Last night P. A. Yvanovich and E. D. da Roza met in the first round of the Colony's billiards championship, Yvanovich winning by 800 to 712. His opponent, however, put up a fine game and always kept within measurable distance. The winner's best breaks were 45, 39, 32, 31, 28 (three times), 26, 21 (twice) and 20 (three times). Roza made breaks of 39, 38, 34, 27, 24, 23 and 21.

Shanghai Championship.

R. C. K. Johnson and C. W. Porter, once again finalists in the Shanghai amateur billiards championship, met last night at the Town Hall in the first half of the game of 2,000 up. At the close Johnson was leading by 1,000 to 706.

STEAMER FARES.

FURTHER REDUCTIONS.

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha announces the reduction between Kobe and Moji, on the Keelung and Dairen runs by 20 per cent. for single fares and 30 per cent. for the round voyage, to be applicable to general passenger and cargo of all classes. Hitherto the reduction had been limited to those passengers closely connected with the Osaka Memorial Exhibition, Kobe Silk Industry Exhibition, and the Kumamoto Exhibition. The reduction period ranges from March 15th to May 16th next. Any return ticket is available for 16 days.

ANTI-OPIUM SOCIETY.

SIGNS OF LIFE AT LAST.

The Hongkong Anti-Opium Society which has existed only in name for several months, has been given a definite lease of life. The Society was formed by public Chinese organisations as a branch of the parent body at Peiping. Except for a few unimportant meetings it has accomplished nothing and has not even mapped out a definite line of action. This was due to the lack of a Chairman. The vacancy was to have been filled by a representative of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, but the Chamber has repeatedly refused to accept the appointment. The Chinese Medical Association, formed of doctors educated on Western lines has now stepped into the breach and has elected Dr. Au Shi-cham to fill the post.

The Society has held one meeting since the appointment of Dr. Au Shi-cham, but nothing of public interest was discussed.

A THEATRICAL EVENT.

**THE LEE WHITE AND
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The well-known London revue stars, and Mr. Clay Smith, with their original London company, will commence their season of West End revues in Hongkong on Friday next, April 3, with their latest English production "Vogues of 1925". This will be repeated on Saturday, April 4th.

The season must perform for a short one of seven nights, and there will be a completely new revue on each night. The succeeding performances will be—Monday, 6th, "Scandals"; Tuesday, 7th, "Back Again"; Wednesday 8th, "Bran Pie". In these revues the same artists will be remembered at the Prince of Wales Theatre, London. On Thursday April 9th a new musical comedy "The Girl for the Boy" will be played, on Friday a revue "Hanky Panky," and the final night will be a pick of all the most popular of the Lee White productions "Pot Pourri." The company is 30 strong. The plans will open to-morrow at Moutric's.

FOOTBALL.

**CLUB RESERVES v.
UNIVERSITY.**

The undermentioned will represent the Hongkong Football Club Reserves in their Second Division League fixture with the University on Saturday, 28th inst. on the St. Joseph's ground at 2.45 p.m.—S. H. Garrad, D. Lyon (Capt.), E. Hanlon, P. Richmond, E. Raitton, G. Purcellan, B. Bell, F. A. Roberts, S. O. Hill, A. Ferguson, J. Dixon.



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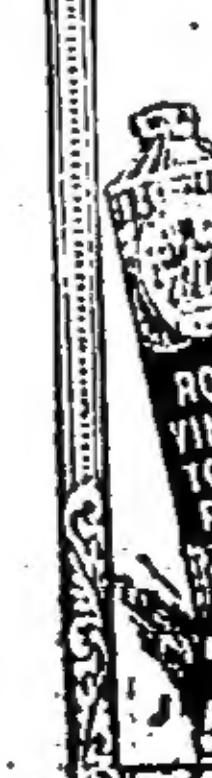
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ANUNCIO.

A Comissao Directora do Club Lusitano tem a honra de convidar a Comunidade Portuguesa para uma Prelecoao no Sábado, 28 de corrente, as 18 1/2 horas polo Rev. Dr Jayme Ribeiro Martins sobre um assumpto de muito interesse a mesma Comunidade. Hongkong, 26 de Março de 1925.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THIRD Extra Race Meeting to be held on the 11th & 13th April 1925.

ALTERED CONDITIONS.

First Day.—Twickenham Handicap and Esher Handicap, 1nd, 3rd, 6th & 8th Races.

Second Day.—Great Metropolitan Handicap, Hyde Park Handicap and Kingswood Handicap, 4th, 5th and 7th Races.

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HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Third Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday 11th and Monday 13th April 1925 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Race Course, Hongkong Club and Causeway Bay Stables.

Entries will close at o'clock noon on Saturday 28th March 1925.

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Limited, will be held at The Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 8th April, 1925, at 2 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ended the 31st December, 1924, confirming the appointment of a Director and re-electing a Director and the Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Wednesday, the 1st April, 1925, until Wednesday, the 8th April, 1925, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, J. BARTHOLOMEW, Acting Secretary, Hongkong, 20th March, 1925.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 17th to the 31st March 1925 both days inclusive.

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Hongkong, 11th March 1925.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the offices of the Company, 2 Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 30th March 1925, at noon, for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1924.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th to the 30th March 1925, (both days inclusive).

By Order of the Board of Directors.

R. M. DYER,

General Manager.

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SINGAPORE SECRET SOCIETY.

EXTORTING MONEY FROM
OPIUM SHOP.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, March 26.
What is believed to be the machinations of a secret society occurred yesterday evening on Balesier road when four Chinese attempted to extort money from the Towkay opium shop. Consequently upon an alarm being given the accused took to their heels. Three arrests were subsequently made.

FORGED RUBBER COUPONS.

EIGHTY IN POSSESSION
OF CHINAMEN.

(Our Own Correspondent.)

Singapore, March 26.
The first case relating to forged rubber coupons was heard before the police magistrate when Lim Ting-chin and Lim Swee-geok were charged with the possession of eighty forged coupons.

The second accused was discharged and the first was committed for trial at the Singapore assizes.

ANCIENT TEMPLE BELL.**A CANTON REMOVAL.**

The Tah-Fat-Tze, or Great Buddha Temple, was built in the 3rd year of Emperor Kang-Hsi's reign (1664 A.D.), and the massive bronze bell which hung beside the altar of the temple was presented by certain devotees about the same time, says the *Canton Gazette*.

In view of the antiquity of the bell, the Bureau of Public Works arranged for its removal yesterday to the No. 1 Public Park for public exhibition. The bell is about 10 feet in height, 7 feet in diameter and 8,000 catties in weight.

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CANCER RESEARCH.

Not much has been heard lately about the great fight against that most dread disease—cancer; but the research continues, and there is no slackening of effort, and the funds specially raised some time ago to aid the grand object of discovering causative factors, and eventually a cure, are being expended to good purpose. Affecting as it does all classes and nationalities, the cancer scourge, with its ever-growing incidence, has become an international affair, and second to none in importance, however overshadowed it might be by more immediate questions of the day. Theories have been advanced by the hundred, and the general trend of qualified opinion has been that one cause of the disease is the modern mode of life—wrong foods and drinks, which have resulted in lowered natural resistance of the system as well as slow poisoning of the guardian cells which would otherwise assist in throwing off the toxins that inadvertently enter the human body. It is of interest to examine the recent work of one of the greatest medical authorities of our times, and the considered opinion of another savant whose utterances deserve the fullest consideration. The facts they note are of the supremest importance, and the conclusions arrived at hold out hope of the road to the final goal having at length been traced.

More than a year ago the famous Dr. Louis Sambon carried out careful investigations of a problem which had held his attention long before the subject of cancer became of worldwide interest. In a small area of Romagna, in Italy, it was observed a few years ago that there was a remarkable incidence of the foul disease, with whole families affected in some cases, and certain houses or groups of houses appearing to be specially unfortunate. This suggested an infective origin for cancer, and offered a unique opportunity for research. The results of his investigations were published about ten months ago by Dr. Sambon, and it was soon that his line of enquiry lay along the possibilities of the affliction

being spread by insect pests, the cockroach and weevil, both contaminants of human food, coming in for special attention. But if they were the carriers, what did they carry? It was observed that certain features of soil seemed to favour the disease more than others, and notes were taken of the comparative freedom from infection of high, dry ground as contrasted with low-lying, clay tracts. The tentative conclusion was that some form of irritating organism was responsible, and that this acted much as the parasitic worms do that cause other infections, such as elephantiasis, in human beings, and galls in the vegetable kingdom, which lead to abnormal growths. This was a big advance in the sum total of our knowledge on the subject, but it was too early to say whether the indications were correctly assigned; and the actual causative parasite remained, and still remains, to be discovered. However, the latest research has, it appears, not only strengthened those previous theories, but practically proved them to be facts.

Continuing his indefatigable efforts, Dr. Sambon made further investigations in Italy, and also in remote Iceland, last summer, where special features offered themselves for observation. The results of this additional research have recently been made public, and tend to emphasise the previous conclusions; and they hold out hope that the great task the investigators set themselves is drawing to a successful end. In the last issue of the *Journal of Tropical Medicine* the fresh discoveries of Dr. Sambon are published, and discussed, and we cannot do better than conclude this review of the problem by quoting the words of Sir James Cantlie, at one time of Hongkong, himself an eminent figure in the medical world: "We understand and sense that cancer is an infective disease caused by some intracellular micro-organism which attacks tissues of low or lowered resistance favoured by the agency of diverse factors among which parasitic worms seem to play the major part and are themselves subject to intermediary hosts which determine the peculiar distribution of the malady. The epidemiology of cancer, hitherto unsuspected, emerges clear as a sunlit landscape out of the fog of our ignorance But above all stand out two important facts; (1) cancer is a parasitic disease, (2) its control is within our reach."

Burglaries.

The recent series of burglaries, all within a limited area in the heart of the business part of the city, would appear to be the work of the same individual or gang. The latest case reported, of which we gave some details yesterday, follows fairly quickly on the successful coups made at Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw's and at Lock Hing's store. The thieves in all three instances must have kept the premises under fairly close observation for some time prior to the commission of the robberies, for they managed to gain fairly easy access and were able to make their hauls without being in any way disturbed. The difficulties of getting on the track of thieves of this type are many, in which connection the ready means of escape from the Colony cannot be overlooked. We have heard it suggested that these light-fingered gentry carry out their burglaries either late at night or early in the morning, so as to be in good time to get away to Canton by the first boat; further that they most likely go aboard as first-class passengers, carrying their booty with them as personal baggage. This latter point would not be difficult, seeing that much of the loot taken is small in bulk and easily packed

DAY BY DAY.

HE WAS A BOLD MAN THAT FIRST ATE AN OYSTER.—Swift.

Mrs. A. O. Brown is to distribute the prizes at the Yaumati School annual sports at King's Park on Monday.

Yesterday's health return shows three cases of small-pox, two of typhoid and one of cerebro-spinal fever. All were Chinese.

The General Officer Commanding the forces in China is to inspect the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps on Friday, 17th April, on Murray Parade Ground. Every member of the Corps (Reserve Company included) is required to attend.

An impediment to shipping has been caused by the wreck of a junk which now lies in the North Channel of the port of Macao, and shipping men are notified that the Aga light which hitherto has marked the entrance will be temporarily substituted by a white light at the masthead of a vessel anchored in its place.

Many Hongkongites will remember Mr. James McGrath, the managing director of the Lee White and Clay Smith Roovoo Company, which is shortly to open a season and which has made a tremendous reputation in India and the Straits. Mr. McGrath ten or twelve years ago was a frequent visitor to the Colony in connection with the popular Bandman shows.

Commander Sir Thomas Fisher, general manager of the Atlantic lines of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., died suddenly in a nursing home in London on February 22, at the age of 41. During the war he did valuable staff work at the Admiralty. Sir Thomas was born in 1883 at Wolverhampton, and entered the *Britannia* in 1897. He served in China during the Boxer Rebellion, later with the Mediterranean and Home Fleets, and in various capacities afloat during the early days of the war. Later he assumed charge of the department dealing with neutral shipping. He retired from the Navy in 1920, when he took up the general management of Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd.

away. If such a procedure is followed, it is clear that the task of tracking the criminals is not an easy one, as by the time news of the robberies is made known the burglar or burglars would be well on the way to Canton, where it is conceivable that they have people working in league with them in the disposal of the stolen goods. In this connection we recall that some of the articles figuring in a recent Hongkong robbery were recovered in Canton. The idea we have put forward seems a fairly feasible one, and we have no doubt that when these burglaries occur the police do their best by keeping a sharp look-out at the wharves. The mischief is, of course, that a considerable period of time often elapses between the commission of the crime and the discovery of it.

Our Competition.

The increasing popularity of our Motor Car Competition is attested with every passing week. There was a record number of coupons sent in for the period ended on Saturday last. After this week, there will only be one month to run before the contest closes, and we have no doubt that there will be a big final spurt by many contestants to get into winning position. The contest has the advantage of being simple and entertaining. It bears some resemblance to cross-word puzzles, in that the number of letters to the skeleton word is indicated, but additional assistance to the competitor is provided in the fact that all the vowels are supplied. There are three very fine prizes offered, the competition for which is most keen. No details of the standings of competitors are being given, although contestants themselves will know from the weekly publication of the correct words whether they are making progress. Eventually, we shall give a full list of the names of contestants, with the credits they have secured. There is still plenty of time in which competitors can improve their positions. If you are competing and know any Telegraph readers who are not in the contest, get them to collect coupons for you during the last month.

THEOSOPHY.

WHAT IT IS AND DOES.

At the last Wednesday's public meeting of the Hongkong Lodge of the Theosophical Society, an address was delivered on "What Theosophy does for us," of which the following is a brief outline:

Theosophy is a coherent and reasonable theory of the universe—a plain declaration of the great facts of nature, as far as they are known—a statement which is not to be accepted as a creed but to be studied and investigated. Theosophy is a definite science. It does not contradict any religion but explains and harmonizes them all. As a philosophy it renders life intelligible and demonstrates the justice and love which guide its evolution. It reveals to us three great basic truths as scientific facts, proved and examined over and over again by many students. They are:

1. God exists, and He is good. He is the great life-giver who dwells within us and without us, and is undying and eternally benevolent. He is not heard, nor seen, nor touched, yet is perceived by the man who desires perception.

2. Man is immortal, and his future is one whose glory and splendour have no limit.

3. A Divine law of absolute justice rules the world, so that each man is in truth his own judge, the dispenser of glory or gloom to himself, the decreer of his life, his reward, his punishment.

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These truths and all the deductions which naturally follow from them bring a radical change into man's life. We realize that all things are working together for good. The final attainment of Divine glory, of salvation, is an absolute certainty for every son of man, whatever may be his present condition.

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Death is recognized as the simple laying aside of our robe of flesh, repeated over and over again in every incarnation, the real, the inner man not being changed by it, as life is continuous, and carrying us all on through repeated incarnations till we all reach the stage of the Perfect Man—the Perfect Christ. All religious fears or worries or troubles are thus shown as quite unnecessary, as the Divine Will is constant progress and attainment for all.

BROTHERHOOD.

Theosophy proves beyond doubt the fact of the Universal Brotherhood of Humanity which is not a mere poetical conception but a scientific fact. The real interests of all are identical, and no man can ever make a real gain for himself at the cost of loss or suffering to someone else. This gives the wider outlook upon life, the broad impersonal point of view. Through Theosophy, man's attitude toward all those around him changes greatly. It becomes a posture ever of helpfulness, ever of deepest sympathy and tolerance, even more, he understands the necessity of positive love towards mankind. He knows that it matters little what man believes, to what religion or nation he belongs, as long as he is a good man and true.

Comprehending more of human nature and knowing its constant growth towards the common goal of manifested Divinity, recognizing the Divine urge even in the lowest, the Theosophist is better able to help, and to resist the evil, studying intimately the nature and essence of goodness. Between right and wrong the Theosophist knows no compromise, no matter what the ignorant may say or think. Studying deeply the hidden laws of Nature he arranges his life according to them, using always reason and commonsense. Appealing to his brother through that which he has in common with him—the Divine Life—he learns how to arouse him in him, and thus to save his brother from wrong. Theosophy makes an end to the extraordinary delusion that the body is the man, proving

SEAMEN'S CONCERT.

SOME ATTRACTIONS.

Apart from the wealth of music to be supplied by the Surveys Band on Thursday next in the Theatre, Bandmaster Bradshaw has compiled a series of analytical notes for the programme which should make the performance doubly interesting. As the theatre will not be in semi-darkness, the audience will have the interesting opportunity of gathering in the import of the music, not merely by listening to it, but by reading what a trained expert has to say.

Mrs. A. M. Bowes-Smith is to sing "I Heard You Singing" one of Eric Coates' delightful compositions, and "Everywhere I Go" from four pastorals by Easthope Martin. Mrs. Bowes-Smith brings to her singing the artistry and sympathy of the true musician.

Mr. D. M. Richards will sing "So We'll Go No More a Roving" and three little songs by Winifred M. Taylor. Both will have the benefit of the piano accompaniments of Mr. A. M. Bowes-Smith.

beyond doubt that the true man is the Divine Spirit in him, manifesting through his soul powers which grow ever richer through the process of repeated re-birth—reincarnation. The student of Theosophy discovers three great points: 1. That the purpose of life is absolute perfection, the state of the manifested Divinity for all and everyone; 2. That all power with regard to this is in his own hands; 3. That he has all eternity before him in which to attain this perfection, but the sooner he gains it by entering the "Path", the happier and more useful will he be.

EVOLUTION.

The great law of evolution is steadily pressing us on, sweeping us ever onward and upward along the course that all must take sooner or later. But it is obvious that the better we understand the Divine Plan under which we are living, the more shall we become the conscious helpers of God and the more rapid will be our progress. In this way every one of us may consciously take a part, however humble it may be, in the great Divine work of spiritual evolution of the life in every one of us, the way of which is reincarnation, repeated re-birth. It is well to point out here that reincarnation, whose purpose and meaning is spiritual advancement, should not be mistaken for the transmigration of human souls into animal bodies, which is a misconception. No such regression is possible in the Divine Plan leading us to the fullness of His manifested Glory.

PERENNIAL CHEERFULNESS.

In order to understand the third of the great truths taught by Theosophy—the mighty law of the constant tendency of nature to re-adjust disturbed equilibrium not only in the physical, but also in the emotional, mental and higher worlds, we must wholly disown the old ecclesiastical idea of reward or chastisement. As we sow, so shall we reap, whether in circumstance or in disposition, as we have sown in the remote past of earlier lives. Under the operation of this far-reaching law, every man is what he has made himself physically, emotionally, mentally and spiritually, and his surrounding circumstances are those which he himself has provided. If once one gains this idea of perfect justice, the troubles and sorrows of life take on quite a new aspect, and thus the whole idea of injustice as connected with misery is absolutely removed from him, all affliction being of the nature of the payment of a debt, and to be used as a lesson for progress. The Theosophist should be distinguishable by his perennial cheerfulness, his undaunted courage, his ready sympathy and helpfulness. Since he knows that he not only makes his own destiny but may also gravely affect that of others around him, he perceives his weighty responsibilities. He knows, for instance, that thoughts are things, and that it is easily possible to do great harm or great good by their means, for his every thought and emotion acts upon others as well. Thus we see that Theosophy is in no way unpractical or indefinite, but that, on the contrary, it has information to give which is of the greatest value to every human being, and its study year after year will grow ever more interesting and fascinating.

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LOCAL FIRM VICTIMISED.**STORY OF CIGARETTE ORDERS.**

An interesting case came up at the Police Court this morning in connection with the alleged securing of a quantity of cigarettes from Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., by means of a trick.

It appears that on the 9th instant, a telephone message was received by Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., purporting to come from the office of Mr. M. P. Lo, share and general broker, giving an order for two dozen Captain Magnum cigarettes, it being added that a messenger would be sent around for them. The assistant taking the message made enquiries as to whether such a person as Mr. Lo existed and on an assurance being obtained, the cigarettes were duly handed over. On the 12th instant a similar order came through. In the ordinary course of business, accounts for goods ordered would not be sent out until the end of the month, but it is the firm's custom, when a new account is opened, to notify the customer to that effect. This was accordingly done, but later Mr. Lo came to the shop and stated that he had opened no account and wanting to know what the goods were. When told that they were cigarettes, he stated that the order had nothing to do with him. The police were then communicated with, and Messrs. Lane, Crawford were advised to see whether the order would be repeated. On the 25th instant, a similar order was given and when the messenger arrived at the store he was taken into custody by Mr. S. J. Jordan, the Secretary. The man arrested then stated that he had been sent by another man in Mr. Lo's office, and that he (the arrested man) did not work there. Later the police arrived and the man was arrested, as also was the other man in Mr. Lo's office later.

The two men were to-day charged before Mr. J. R. Wood, but the charge against the man from Mr. Lo's office was withdrawn. The charge against the other was of obtaining the cigarettes by false pretences, but after hearing the evidence, his Worship discharged the defendant, on the ground of insufficient evidence, although stating that it seemed one of the two men was guilty.

BUOYS MOVED.**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

A Shanghai Customs notification states that the following buoys marking the Tsungming Crossing North Channel Entrance to the Yangtze River, have been moved:

Shoal Light-buoy has been moved, and from the new position of the buoy Woosung Light-house bears S. 14° 34' W., distant 5.74 miles.

West Spit Light-buoy has been moved, and from the new position of the buoy Woosung Light-house bears S. 43° E., distant 5.36 miles.

All bearings given are magnetic.

Last night's heavy rain was the biggest fall, in the time experienced this year. Nearly three inches (2.92) of rain has fallen in the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, and the total since January 1st is 11.75 ins., which is more than double the average for the period.

SPORTS GOSSIP.**THAT TENNIS RULE.**

[BY "WANDERER."] Our old friend Jup. P. appears to drop in just when he thinks fit and makes himself at home without the least consideration for our previous arrangements. Not only have the tennis tournament and two or three sports meetings been held up by his unwelcome presence, and football spoilt, but it seems that Mr. Claxton is still very pessimistic as to our chances of getting a more friendly visitor for a few days yet. The tennis tournament was to have been completed to the third round by March 21st, but so far this has been a washout.

While on the subject of tennis and the tournament, many people are enquiring as to the effect of the new amendment to the foul fault rule passed at the International Federation meeting held at Paris. After defining the position the server should take up, which is unaltered, the rule reads:—"Thereafter, until the service is delivered, the server shall, (a) not change his position by walking or running, (b) maintain contact with the ground, (c) keep both feet behind the baseline." I was talking this morning to Col. Robertson on the subject, and he is of opinion that it does not affect the position locally, as the requirements laid down therein are already compiled with. It would seem that the real purpose of the amendment is to bring the Americans into line with the remainder of the Federation, or, in other words, it is designed for the purpose of preventing the walking service, which is adopted by the majority of American players. The rule, as will be seen, insists that the player shall be still at the moment of striking the ball. Contact with the ground, however, does not necessarily mean that a player shall have both feet on the ground.

Six up at the end of the morning round, Hegarty maintained this lead until the end and so carried off the Junior Golf Championship on Sunday by six and five. The winner was at his very best in the morning, and though Brown was playing quite steadily, he was unable to hold him. In the afternoon, Brown did not let him run away in the same easy fashion, but, at the same time, was unable to produce sufficiently good form to reduce the deficit. All the important competitions of the H.K.G.C. for the winter season have now been completed.

The reduction of the period of football match to half an hour each way and the allowance of two substitutes savours very much of school football, certainly not of an international tournament, and the local Athletic Federation are justified in feeling that the committee controlling the Far Eastern Olympic Games, to be held at Manila during the week May 16th-23rd, are not treating them fairly. A view frankly expressed is that the alteration of the rule, allowing the above strange conditions for a match of such importance, is designed in the hope that either the Philippines or Japan will be able to break the long record of continuous success in football games by China, and if this be so, it is, of course, impossible to tell the workings of the minds of the committee. It would appear to be a very selfish standpoint in view of the fact that China rarely succeed in the other

ROSSITER CO.**LAST NIGHT'S SUCCESS.**

The inclement weather notwithstanding, there was again a crowded house at the Star Theatre, Kowloon, last night, when the Madeline Rossiter Revue Company presented their bright and snappy programme entitled "Placet Pic." All the artists of this clever combination were in first-rate form, and the evening's mirth and music gave the utmost satisfaction to all present, many encore having to be conceded. Miss Rossiter herself was extremely charming and versatile in her contributions to the programme, and it goes without saying that Mr. Charles Mason was funniness itself; he sent the audience into roars of laughter in all that he did. The final item, a burlesque entitled "A Life on the Ocean Wave," in which all the artists took part, was a scream from start to finish.

The Company again appears tonight and to-morrow in new programmes, whilst on Tuesday at 3.15 there will be benefit matinée, the entire proceeds from which will be given to the widow and children of the late Mr. Jack Bonnott, a talented member of the Company who died here some weeks ago.

FOOTBALL.**KOWLOON TEAMS.**

The following teams have been selected to play for the Kowloon F.C. on Saturday, 28th, inst.— Senior Shield Final v. Polico, on the Club Ground; Kick-off 4.30.—A. Duncan; F. Wheeler, F. Read; A. W. Turner, J. McColville (Capt.), B. Pasco; G. Duncan, S. G. Hayes, J. McBride, W. Austin and J. Muir. Reserve—H. G. K. Wheeler.

Junior Shield Final v. Surreys Ros., on Club ground; kick-off 2.45.—B. Rasmussen; W. H. Brown, D. Urquhart; A. W. Brown (Capt.), C. Caveille, S. Randle; C. Morris, C. Millard, K. A. Mason, A. Latham and A. Fitzgerald. Reserve—V. Hast.

THE "TALMA."**DISCHARGING HER CARGO.**

With the aid of the powerful salvage pump on the tug Henry Keswick, the flooded No. 3 hold on the a.s. T alma was pumped out yesterday evening, and the vessel has moved into midstream, where she was discharging her damaged cargo to-day.

The exact time of her departure (she was originally to have left this morning) is still uncertain. Beyond bulged and buckled plates, she does not appear to have suffered much damage from yesterday's fire.

Events, track and field, tennis, basketball or volleyball.

The South China eleven has been picked to represent China, and at a meeting of the Hongkong Chinese Athletic Federation held last evening, it was felt that it was up to them to forward a protest to the proper quarter in the hope that the rule might be re-vised. The game between the Chinese and the Filipinos in the past have been notoriously rough and as South China will only have fourteen players to pick from, and it would be comparatively easy for the Filipinos to force a draw in the first game by packing the goal, the loss of men through injuries would have a serious effect on their chances in the replay.

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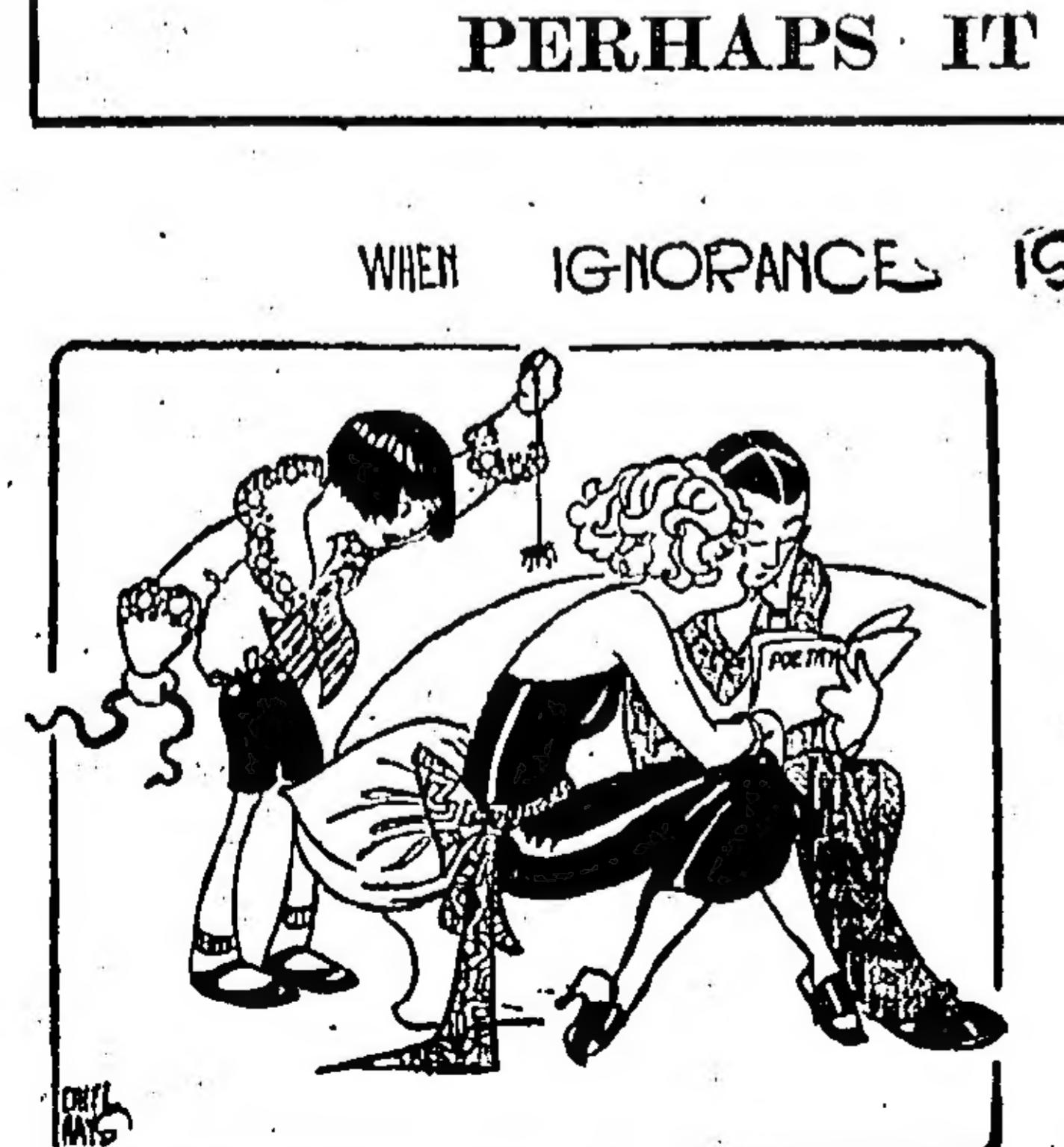
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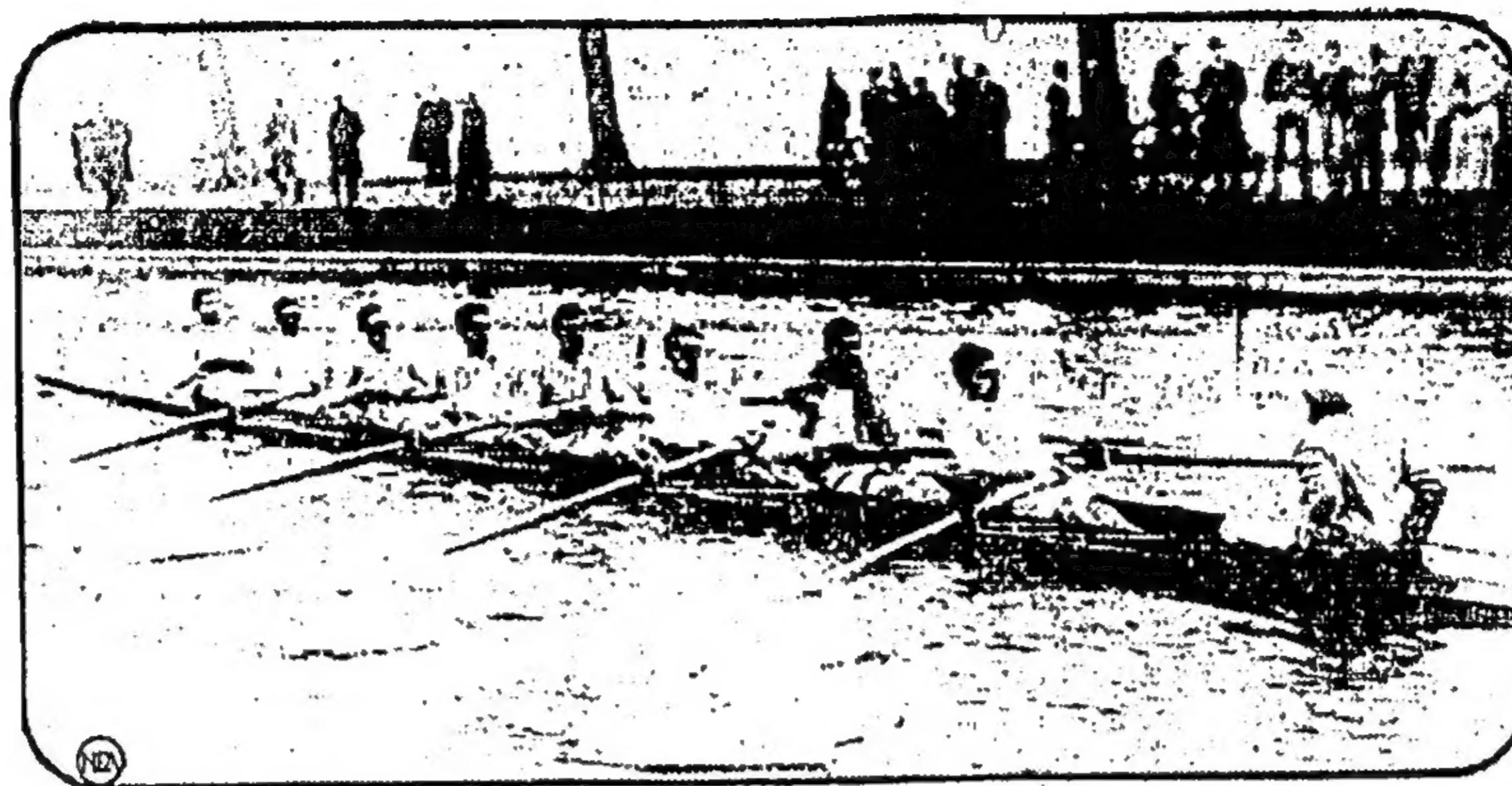
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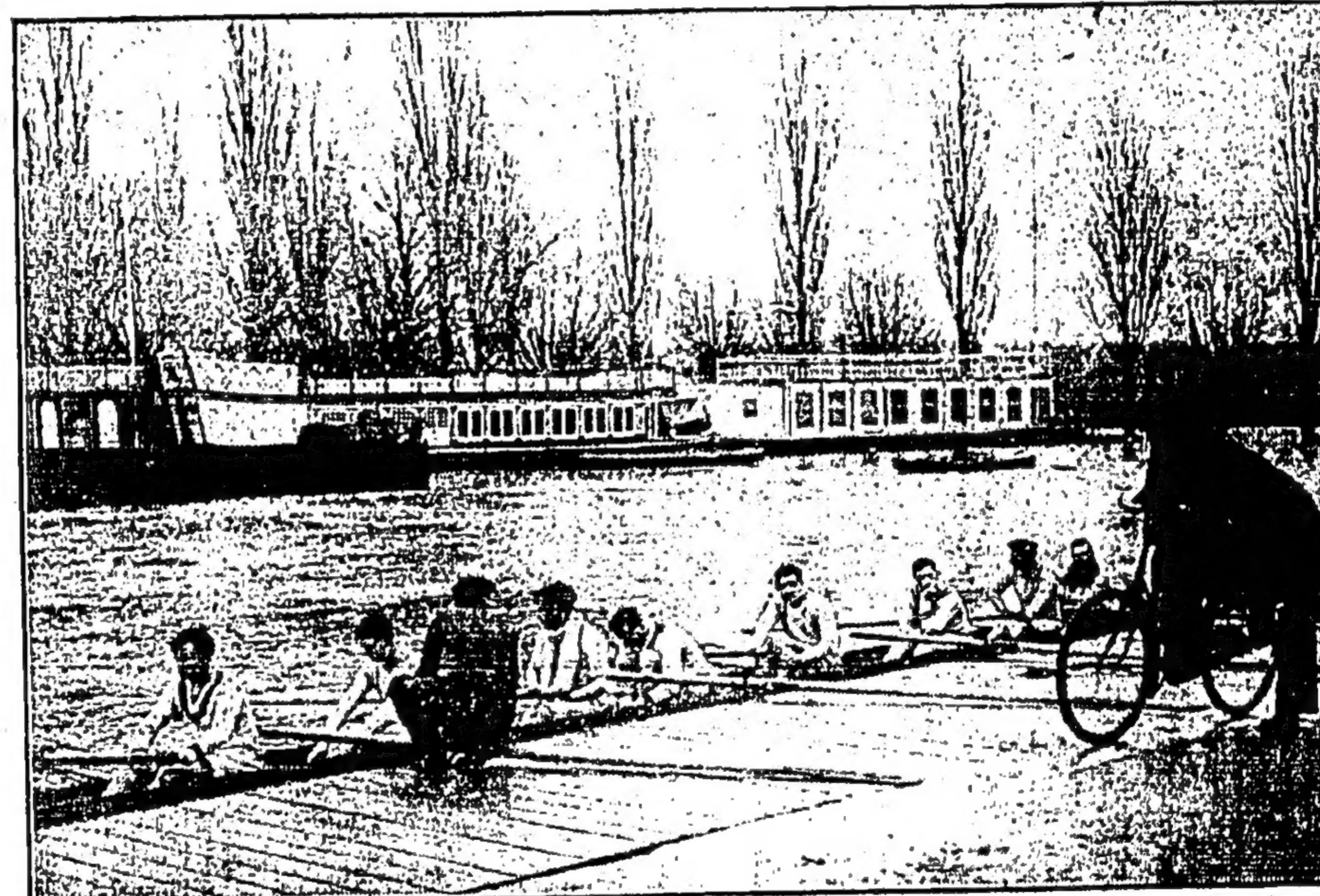
CAMERA NEWS



TRAINING FOR BOAT RACE.—The crew of Cambridge University having a trial spin on the river. The Boat Race takes place to-morrow.



CRUFT'S DOG SHOW.—Mr. F. Wardell's Dalmatians, the winners of seven first prizes at Cruft's Dog Show at the Royal Agricultural Hall, London. ("The Times" copyright photograph).



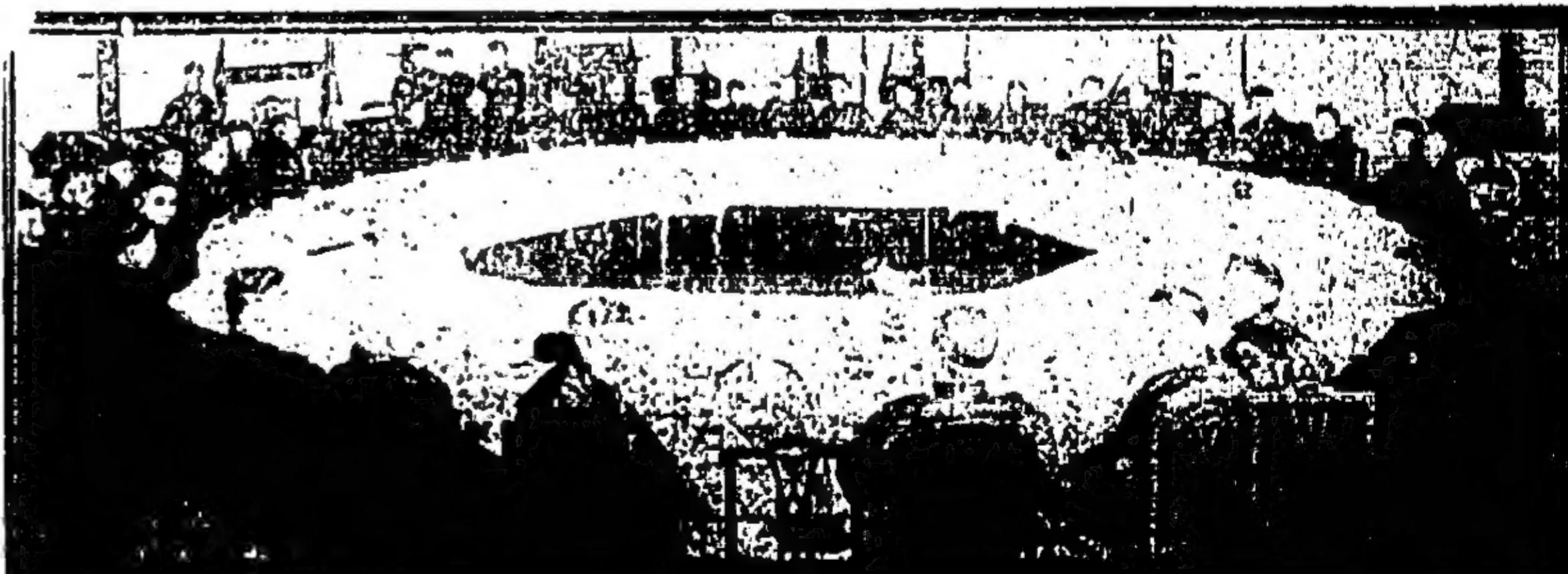
THE OXFORD CREW.—Here the Oxford boat crew is seen about to start out. ("The Times" copyright photograph).



FAMOUS PEARLS.—A million and a half dollars is the supposed valuation of the famous Thérèse's pearl necklace which is now on exhibition in New York before being offered for sale. The pearls were for 40 years in the Louvre Museum in Paris. The necklace contains 145 pearls weighing 2,136 grains.



THE EGYPTIAN ELECTIONS.—Riots occurred at Mohalleb-el-Kebir during the recent elections, voting urns being smashed and the lists of electors destroyed by the mob, who also attacked the house of the Omda, the Anti-Wafdist candidate. Our picture shows troops guarding the house of the Omda. ("The Times" copyright photograph).



ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE.—Efforts of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce to ensure peace for Shanghai are now being realized, and the two armies controlling the city are to be withdrawn. Our picture shows the meeting which will be historic if the leaders fulfil their promises. At the far side of the table are General Ho Feng-ling, former Defence Commissioner of Shanghai, General Wu Kuan-hsin, Minister of War, who conducted the peace negotiations, Marshal Chang Chung-chang, Commander of the Fengtien troops and Mr. Fang Hsiao-pao, Vice-President of the Chamber. Others round the table are members of the Chamber.

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Nanyang Tob.	n. 10

Hongkong March 27, 1925.

SHIPPING NEWS

The following local shipping and mail intelligence has been corrected to noon to-day:

Vessels Arrived.

Vessel	Agents	From	Date.
Changsha	B & S	Meihua via Menlai	27th March
Sunning	B & S	Shanghai via Amoy	"
Campinao	Optong	Saigon	"
Ekstrand	J. Manner	Saigon	"
Tanjer	K. Larsen	Wakayama via Miike	"
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Hamburg M.	O S K	Yokohama via Moji	"
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Nagasaki	Yang Ting	Kuching	"

Impending Departures.

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Vessel	Agents	Destination	Sailing
Tydeus	B & S	Suez	20th Mar.
Aukta M.	N Y K	Colombo	20th
Leesang	J. M. & Co.	Hakchong	20th
Talma	P & O	Yokohama	20th
Wosang	J. M. & Co.	Santos	30th
Autolyne	B & S	Hamburg	30th
Kumang	J. M. & Co.	Caleutta	31st
Matony M.	N Y K	Yokohama	31st
Hopang	J. M. & Co.	Santos	31st
Dector	B & S	Shanghai	31st
Hatching	D. I. Co.	Amoy	1st
Chipping	J. M. & Co.	Tientsin	1st
Tengangto M.	N Y K	Rangoon	1st
Aratara	P & O	Melbourne	1st

Impending Arrivals.

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Vessel	Agents	From	Due	Hongkong	Mar.
Aratara	P & O	Moji	30th	6th	Apr.
Fushimi M.	N Y K	Suez	6th	8th	"
Iyo Maru	N Y K	Shanghai	10th	10th	"
Eun. of Australia	C P S. Ltd.	Shanghai	20th	27th	"
Hakozaki M.	N Y K	Suez	27th		
Diomed	B & S	Yokohama			

Consignees Diary.

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Vessel	Agents	Goods	Free Storage	Claims to be Examined	Examination Date
Uros. Grant	A O L	Kawloon	Mar. 29	Mar. 26	Mar. 26
Valus	R R	Kawloon	Mar. 30	Mar. 28	Mar. 28
Boilawers	G D	Kawloon	Mar. 31	Apr. 15	Mar. 31
Taiwan	T & Co.	Kawloon	Apr. 2	Apr. 1	Tues. & Fri.
Phemius	B & S	Holl's	Apr. 2	Apr. 16	

Steamers' Movements.

Autolyceus for London, Rotterdam & Hamburg left Shanghai 25th inst. and is due here on 28th. Vessel will be despatched at 4 p.m. on 30th instant.

Tydus for New York, Boston & Baltimore left Shanghai 25th inst. for this port and is due on 28th. Vessel will sail hence at daylight on 29th instant.

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Every vessel sailed from Moji 26th inst. and is due at Hongkong 31st inst.

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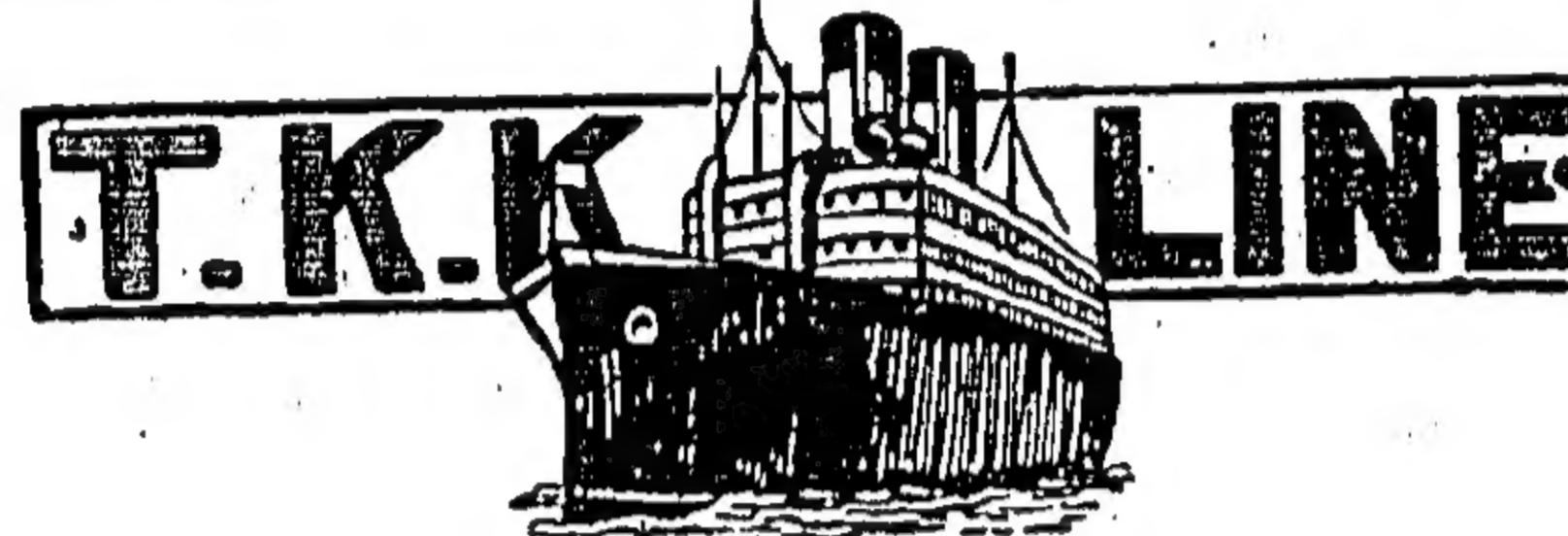
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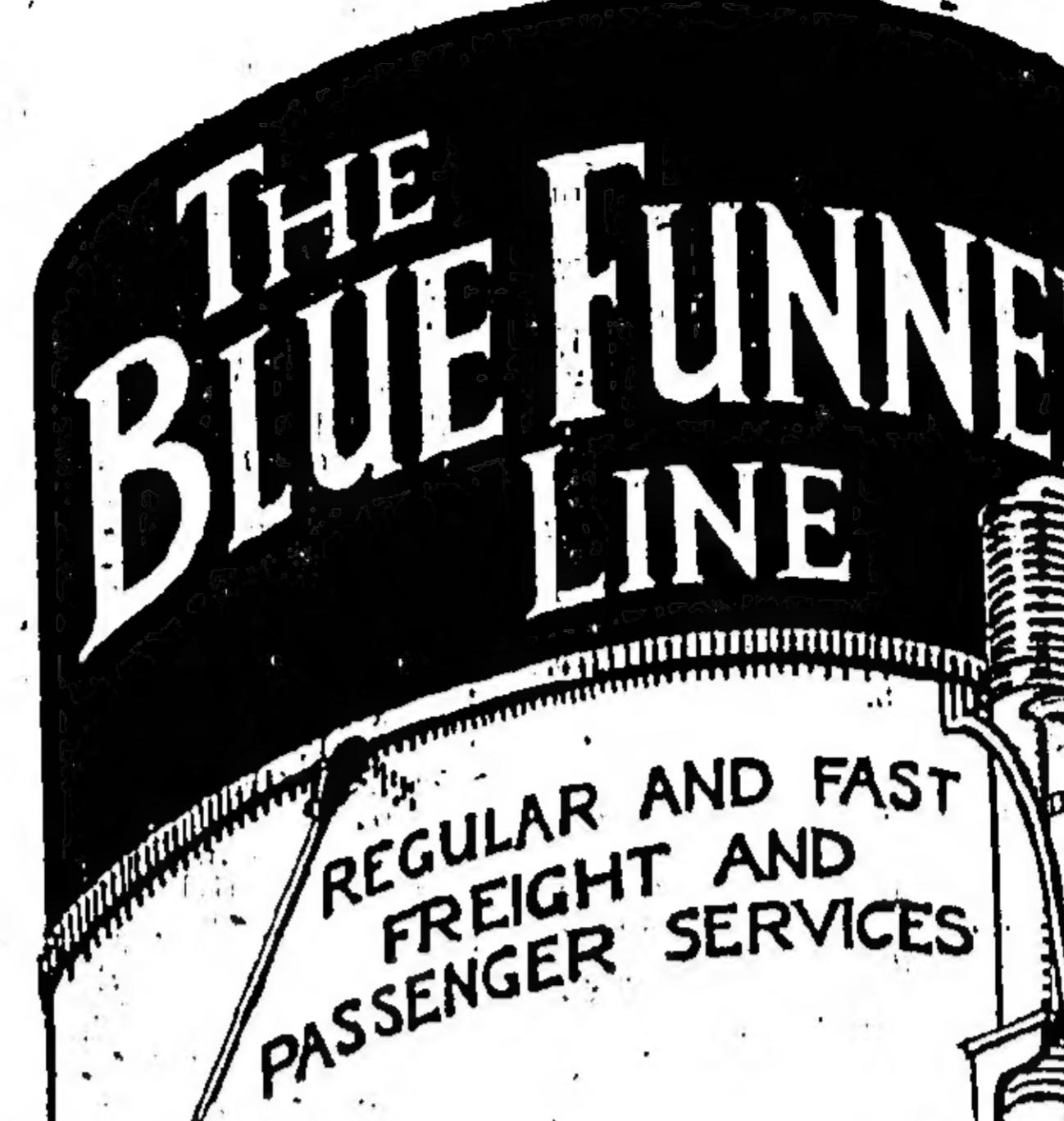
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TIENTSIN	Chipsing Wed.	1st Apr. at noon.
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T'TAO via Stow & Shai	Walshing Thurs.	2nd Apr. at 7 a.m.
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KOBE via Amoy & Shai	Hongsang Thurs.	9th Apr. at 7 a.m.
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1st, 11.75 inches, against an
average of 5.64 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOUR
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4 South coast of occasional rain.
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